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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, SP

SUBJECT: SPANISH MARINE CORP REQUEST FOR M202A1 ROCKET
LAUNCHER

REF: A. SECDEF MSG 161210Z MAY 77
B. JUSMG MSG 091300Z SEP 77
C. JUSMG MADRID MSG 291056Z NOV 77

1. DEPARTMENT HAS DISAPPROVED SPANISH REQUEST FOR THE
PURCHASE OF THE M202A1 ROCKET LAUNCHER. DENIAL OF THIS
SALE TO SPAIN WAS MADE IN THE CONTEXT OF A GENERAL POLICY
DECISION TO PROHIBIT ALL EXPORT SALES OF THIS WEAPON.

2. MISSION SHOULD INFORM THE GOS THAT USG POLICY HAS
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ALWAYS BEEN VERY RESTRICTIVE IN THE SALE OF INCENDIARY
WEAPONS AND THAT THE M202A1 HAS NOT BEEN PROVIDED TO ANY
FOREIGN COUNTRY AND WILL NOT BE OFFERED FOR SALE TO ANY
FOREIGN CUSTOMER INCLUDING NATO ALLIES. VANCE

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